

**LEON COUNTY CHOOSE LIFE LICENSE PLATES
GRANT PROGRAM
2004/05 GRANT APPLICATION**

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FORM ONE: ORGANIZATIONAL INFORMATION

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The following are the **minimum legal requirements**. An agency must meet these criteria to qualify for funding. Please provide the requested information below:

1. Registration with the U. S. Department of Treasury, Section 501 (c) (3), Internal Revenue Service Code, for exempt status. Tax Exempt # 592632869
2. Registration with the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, pursuant to Chapter 496. F.S. Registration # SC 05809
 - If your organization is exempt, as provided for in section 496.406, F.S., a copy of your exemption letter must be attached to this application.
 - If your organization is automatically excluded, pursuant to Section 496.403, F.S., check ☐.
3. Your organization must be registered as a non-profit corporation with the Florida Department of State pursuant to Chapter 617. F.S. Registration # NO6836
4. If your organization has a physical presence in Florida, you must be registered with the Florida Department of Revenue pursuant to Chapter 212.08. F.S. State Sales Tax Exempt # 47-00-025584-85C


CHIEF VOLUNTEER OFFICER Erik Braun
(Board President or Chair Signature Required)

3/12/04
DATE


CHIEF PROFESSIONAL OFFICER Ginny Geiger
(Director, Executive Director or President Signature Required)

3-12-04
DATE

FORM TWO: ORGANIZATIONAL REPRESENTATION

List the number of the agency's clients served, Board of Directors, and professional and support staff composition.

TOTALS FOR CALENDER YEAR 2003

	Total
Clients Served	1,067
Board of Directors	7
Professional Staff (employees)	8
Support Staff (volunteers)	135

FORM THREE: ORGANIZATIONAL OVERVIEW

Narratives should be written in concise manner. If necessary, attach one additional sheet.

1. Please state the agency's overall mission and purpose.

A Women's Pregnancy Center, Inc., (AWPC) is a pro-life crisis pregnancy center. AWPC is committed to providing clients with accurate and complete information. Our primary objective is to provide educational, moral, spiritual and practical help to inquiring clients of any race, gender, creed or age. We help women facing unplanned pregnancies through education and information, empowering them to make an informed choice. We provide practical support through referrals for adoption, medical, housing, and financial assistance, as well as providing clothing, furniture, formula, diapers and other maternity and baby needs. AWPC is NOT involved or associated with any pro-abortion activities.

2. Please identify goals and objectives planned for your 2003/04 fiscal year (current fiscal year).

Note: All goals listed on applications by AWPC in previous years have been met.

- Expand advertising to Thomasville, GA and in local theaters to continue increasing number of clients served.
- Upgrade existing ultrasound equipment to view life at 4 weeks gestation.
- Remodel new space for counseling and Moms and Babies' Room.
- Remodel new office and storage space.
- Become official student organization on Florida State University campus.
- Train peer counselors to be more effective in adoption counseling.
- Advertise to increase abortion minded clients
- Through community and university marketing, serve a greater number of abortion-minded clients

3. Please identify goals and objectives planned for your 2004/05 (next year).

- Operate satellite office on or near Florida State University campus.
- Collaborate with adoption lawyers and agencies to facilitate adoption more effectively.
- Increase number of peer counselors.
- Present adoption so that 15% of abortion-minded, pregnant clients (about 40 clients) choose to investigate adoption
- To support local agencies in the development of maternity homes in Tallahassee through client referral and sharing of resource information

- Include a section in the monthly newsletter to sensitize and increase staff in adoption information and mentoring skills
- Provide birth moms one-on-one support through a mentoring program after their baby's placement.
- To educate the community in church and school settings of the positive role of adoption
- To increase appreciation for birth moms who choose to place their babies

FORM FOUR: STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

1. Please highlight successful collaborative efforts that your agency has conducted or is presently participating in during this current fiscal year.

A Women's Pregnancy Center, Inc., (AWPC) cooperates with other life affirming agencies in the area. For material assistance and support, the Pregnancy Help and Information Center, (PHI) is an agency to which we frequently refer clients. Likewise, the PHI center staff refers clients to AWPC for free ultrasounds and counseling services. A Women's Pregnancy Center, Inc. refers clients to Open Door Women's Clinic, Inc. when counselors and/or sonographer's schedules are full.. A Women's Pregnancy Center, Inc. also makes referrals to physicians, several of whom are willing to see our clients on short notice and for reduced fees.

A Women's Pregnancy Center has a working relationship with several local attorneys and adoption agencies and The Florida Baptist Children's Home for adoption referrals. Pregnant teens are referred to the Home for housing during pregnancy. Adoption specialists train AWPC staff in presenting the option of adoption to clients when appropriate. When a client is considering adoption, AWPC staff coordinates initial meeting between adoption agency staff and the client to answer any questions the client may have.

2. Identify agency fund-raising plans such as various activities to generate funds to support the agency and its program delivery structure.

- Spring Walk For Life
- Fall Benefit Banquet
- Parisian Charity Sale
- Monthly newsletter with special appeals
- Choose Life Tags
- WFRF Sanctity of Human Life Mini Missions Conference
- Friends for Life monthly contributors
- Albertson's Community Card
- Sanctity of Human Life Sunday offerings
- Year-End Donation letter

3. Please list all formal grants and in-kind donations.

- Maternity and baby clothes, maternity needs and baby furniture
- Majority of maintenance of janitorial services at The Center
- New baby supplies and clothes
- Office furniture
- Office equipment
- Information system technical support
- Legal advice and services
- Peer counseling staff
- Office and clerical work
- Ultrasound staff

4. Do you participate in any pro-abortion activities? Yes _____ No X

5. Do you charge women for services received? Yes _____ No X

FORM FIVE: PROGRAM SUMMARY

AGENCY NAME A Women's Pregnancy Center, Inc.

PROGRAM NAME A Women's Pregnancy Center, Inc.

PROGRAM SERVICE A Women's Pregnancy Center, Inc.

A. PROGRAM RESOURCES

	2003/04 Actual	2004/05 Projected
Total Program Budget	\$ 327,000	\$ 499,000
Program Staff (FTE)	# 8	# 8
Program Volunteers (value)	Not yet figured	\$96,000
Program In-Kind Donations	Not yet figured	\$75,000

B. PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

1. Narrative Description of Program:

Succinctly describe the program that will utilize these funds, including types of services provided, how and by whom (staff, volunteers, etc.) they are provided, and any eligibility requirements for clients.

A Women's Pregnancy Center, Inc. provides services to women in crisis facing the possibility of an unplanned pregnancy. All services are offered free of charge to the community, regardless of age, race, marital status, or religion. These services include:

- adoption referrals
- free pregnancy tests
- non-judgmental decision making counseling
- education on unborn baby development
- abortion procedures and risks
- sexually transmitted diseases
- lifestyle/relationship counseling
- post abortion counseling
- follow-up with pregnant clients
- maternity and infant clothing
- infant furniture
- financial aid referrals
- medical care referrals
- community services referrals

All services offered at AWPC are provided by *well-trained staff, both paid and volunteer. We are able to provide clients with resources and information throughout their pregnancies and are able to address many of their individual needs.

*Volunteer peer counselors receive 22 hours of classroom training and four months of on-the-job training. Quarterly in-service trainings and seminars provide continued education.



Florida Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services
CHARLES H. BRONSON, Commissioner
Tallahassee, Florida

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November 4, 2003

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Tallahassee, Florida 32399-6500
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Refer To: CH5809

A WOMEN'S PREGNANCY CENTER
111 S MAGNOLIA DR STE 38
TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301-2958

RE: A WOMEN'S PREGNANCY CENTER
REGISTRATION#: CH5809
EXPIRATION DATE: October 31, 2004

Dear Sir or Madam:

The above-named organization/sponsor has complied with the registration requirements of Chapter 496, Florida Statutes, the Solicitation of Contributions Act. A COPY OF THIS LETTER SHOULD BE RETAINED FOR YOUR RECORDS.

Every charitable organization or sponsor which is required to register under s. 496.405 must conspicuously display the registration number issued by the Department and in capital letters the following statement on every printed solicitation, written confirmation, receipt, or reminder of a contribution:

"A COPY OF THE OFFICIAL REGISTRATION AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE DIVISION OF CONSUMER SERVICES BY CALLING TOLL-FREE (800-435-7352) WITHIN THE STATE. REGISTRATION DOES NOT IMPLY ENDORSEMENT, APPROVAL, OR RECOMMENDATION BY THE STATE."

The Solicitation of Contributions Act requires an annual renewal statement to be filed on or before the date of expiration of the previous registration. The Department will send a renewal package approximately 60 days prior to the date of expiration as shown above.

Thank you for your cooperation. If we may be of further assistance, please contact the Solicitation of Contributions section.

Sincerely,

CHARLES H. BRONSON
COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

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